

Abstract of the Disclosure

2 The present invention relates to a gaming apparatus comprising a gaming
table with a gaming surface having at least one predetermined location for receiving
4 a gaming token. A gaming token supporter is mounted at each of the at least one
predetermined location for receiving a gaming token on the gaming surface of the
6 gaming table such that the gaming token supporter is flush with the gaming surface
and forms a gaming token receiving location. A photoelectric sensor for each
8 gaming token supporter is mounted to the gaming table such that each sensor is
aligned with and in sensing proximity to a gaming token supporter.

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